

Editorial Comments.

Chicago went Democratic in the Council election.

Debate on the tolls bill has been limited to fifteen days.

President Wilson telegraphed his congratulations to Mr. Underwood.

Kitchen, of North Carolina, wants to succeed Underwood as House leader.

Just as the ground was getting in shape for gardening, it upped and rained.

Bading, the present mayor, defeated Emil Seidel, Socialist, for mayor of Milwaukee.

Chas. W. Bryan, brother of the Secretary of State, is preparing to run for Governor of Nebraska.

Miss Margaret Swinbank, aged 101, voted at Sycamore, Ill., Tuesday. She is the oldest "old maid" in Illinois.

Former Governor Eben S. Draper, of Massachusetts, is critically ill of paralysis, at Greenville, S. C. He was returning from Cuba when stricken.

Thirty-five indictments under the new law have been returned against the saloon men of Memphis and they are offering to quit business if the prosecutions are dropped.

A New York minister is accused of improper conduct towards nine women of his congregation. Not even a preacher can flirt with nine different women without getting his wires crossed.

Drukker, Republican, won in the singular race for Congress at Paterson, N. J., for the Bremner vacancy, beating the Democrat by 5,000. In the 12th Massachusetts district, Gallivan, Democrat, was elected by 4,000, as Mayor Curley's successor.

Robert Lansing, the newly appointed counselor for the state department, was until recently attorney for the Huerta government in Washington, and his father-in-law, John W. Foster, now holds that position. In Mr. Bryan's absence, Mr. Lansing is acting Secretary of State and he is being closely watched.

The conference of business men in Louisville Tuesday on the insurance situation was largely attended and strong resolutions were adopted, urging that an agreement be made between the state officers and insurance companies to continue business in the state on a fair basis, a commission to study the situation in the meanwhile. H. A. Robinson represented the H. B. M. A.

If Uncle Sam is to protect Spaniards in Mexico, the issue is squarely drawn. Carranza and Villa refuse to back down in their policy of expelling Spaniards as fast as they capture a town. Something more than a "conference" is now in order, if the subjects of Spain are to be cared for. Secretary Bryan is still sick and the Spanish Ambassador called to see him at his home Tuesday.

Consul Carothers has reached Juarez from Torreon bringing a truthful report of the battle preceding the fall of the city April 2. Villa had 600 killed and 1,400 wounded. Velasco left 805 wounded in the hospitals, placards commending them to "the kindness of the five consuls and the mercy of Gen. Villa." He destroyed ammunition he could not take with him. No facts as to his losses by death were obtainable.

A great many people evidently voted against Hobson in Alabama, and necessarily had to vote for Underwood. The latter not only made no canvass of the state, but like Champ Clark lined up against the President and voted with the Republicans in the free tolls matter. The people of the whole country, Alabama included, are with the President in this matter, and it must be assumed that Hobson's vagaries simply drove the voters into the camp of his only opponent.

12 COUNTIES
WENT DRY

Women Voted In Illinois For First Time Tuesday.

THEIR CANDIDATES LOSE.

In Chicago Where Only One In Three Women Voted.

Chicago, April 7.—Estimates indicate that between 75,000 and 100,000 of the 217,614 women voters eligible to vote here went to the polls for the first time Tuesday and cast their votes in the aldermanic election.

The male voters, of whom 455,283 were registered, voted in about the same proportion. None of the nine women candidates who sought to represent their wards in the city council was elected, and except in the first ward, where Miss Marion Drake made a spectacular fight against John (Bath House) Coughlin, the women candidates polled only a small fraction of the women votes.

Indications are that Coughlin won by about 4 to 1.

It is estimated that at least twelve counties have been added to the thirty which now bar saloons.

The country districts saw the greatest gains in anti-saloon territory. Of the largest cities the following voted from wet to dry:

Bloomington, Decatur, Belvidere, Canton, Freeport, Galesburg, Joliet, Monmouth, Kewanee, Lockport, Elgin, and East Galena, Rockford and Galva, which were dry remained dry. The following cities remained wet: Springfield, Quincy, West Galena, Rock Island, Dixon, Aurora, Waukegan, Alton and Moline.

King Coming Too.

Washington has been officially informed that King Ferdinand, as well as Queen Eleanor of Bulgaria, may visit this country in the early summer.

FRANCHISE IS
GRANTED

Kentucky Public Service Co. To Run a Line To Clarksville.

Clarksville, Tenn., April 8.—The Montgomery County Quarterly Court met in regular session Monday morning, Judge C. W. Tyler, presiding. Forty-five members were present.

The Kentucky Public Service Co. and the Clarksville Electric Light Company made application to the court for a franchise to erect posts, etc., for the transmission of electric power between Clarksville and Hopkinsville. The franchise was granted, limited to twelve months for completion of the work.

New Company at Paducah.

A stock company with F. M. Fisher has been formed at Paducah to be known as the Ohio Valley Fire and Marine Insurance Co. The company is capitalized at \$250,000, which is divided into 25,000 shares of the value of \$10 each. The home office of the company will be in Paducah and the stockholders are among the most prominent citizens of Paducah.

The articles will be filed in the county clerk's office and at Frankfort, Ky., on Monday, when the sale of stock will be open to the public.

Convalescent.

Thos. H. Carlos, Jr., of Reform, Ala., who was operated upon for appendicitis last week, is in a hospital at Columbus, Miss., and is out of danger from the operation.

METHODIST
REVIVAL

Series of Meetings Will Not Close Until Next Sunday Night.

ADDITIONS TO EACH SERVICE.

Communion Service at Three O'clock To-morrow Afternoon.

The revival at the Methodist Church continues with fine interest. There is an addition at nearly every service. The meeting will continue till Sunday night. There will be communion service at three o'clock Friday afternoon. This service will be held for the specific purpose of directing the minds of the people to the crucifixion, and the death of the Savior, which occurred at the "ninth hour," or three o'clock. Everybody is invited to this service. It will be "open communion," and some of the other ministers of the city are expected to assist the pastor in its administration.

The co-operation of ministers and members of other churches is much appreciated by the pastor and congregation.

PEMBROKE COMPANY

Sell Plant To Parties in Davidson County, Tenn.

W. S. Holman and S. G. Ragsdale, composing the R. H. Power Co., of Pembroke, have sold their plant to Messrs. Art J. Dyer, Harry S. Badger and Thomas C. Kittrell, of Davidson county, Tenn. The plant was formerly owned by the Pembroke Light, Power & Water Co. and was purchased by Messrs. Holman and Ragsdale last September. The sale also includes the poles and wires from Pembroke to Hopkinsville, erected and being used for the purpose of conveying an electric current from here to Pembroke, also a franchise from the town of Trenton to do business in that town.

Humphreys-Parker.

Mr. Thos. J. Humphreys and Miss Lady Florence Parker were married at four o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Parker, on East Seventh street. It was a quiet home wedding, with only a few close friends present. Rev. H. D. Smith officiated. For the present the young couple will board with the bride's parents. The bride is a charming and lovable young lady. The groom returned from the U. S. navy last summer and is at present employed in the agricultural department of the Forbes Manufacturing Company. He is a son of the late Mrs. May Humphreys.

Lyon-Richards.

Mrs. Thomas W. T. Richards, of Los Angeles, Cal., announces the approaching marriage of her daughter, Eleanor, to Mr. Harvey Blanchard Lyon, on Thursday evening, April 21st, at half past eight o'clock, at the First Baptist Church in Los Angeles. Mrs. Richards was formerly Miss Mamie Henry, of this city, and the bride-to-be was a charming visitor to relatives here two years ago.

"Greater Hopkinsville Wants You."

The above slogan selected by the committee for the new electric street sign, has struck a popular chord and everybody seems pleased with the catchy phrase. Mr. Fitch, of the Kentucky Public Service Co., is greatly pleased with it and will soon have it erected and donated to the city. The exact location has not been selected, but it will span Ninth street in the vicinity of the Federal Building.



GOV. JAMES B. MCCREARY.

Gov. McCreary formally opened his campaign for Senator at Winchester Monday. His crowd was large and the Governor spoke in the kindest terms of all his opponents. He said he would serve out his term as Governor if nominated.

EVELYN THAW
APPEALS TO WOMEN

Los Angeles, April 8.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, smarting under the humiliation she has recently undergone at the hands of clubwoman in the south, has written to friends in this city an appeal that she be given "fair play" during her theatrical engagement here.

When she danced in Atlanta, Ga., recently, Mrs. Thaw was barred from her hotel because of bitter protests of the women.

In Richmond, Va., the clubwomen protested against her appearing and circulated a petition to close the theatre. Only by carrying the matter into the courts was she able to continue.

"I want to work," says Evelyn. "I have the right to work. No one can stop me. I am on the stage and I shall remain on the stage. The people who say and write nasty things about me are fighting a mother."

"And a mother doesn't give way one inch!"

"I didn't go before the footlights until I positively couldn't tell where the next meal for me and my boy was coming from."

"It's unfair to say that I am capitalizing my personal notoriety. If I had cared to do that I could have earned \$7,500 in one week, after the second week of the Thaw trial, just to stand up and be made a show of. I never have consented to such a thing and I never will."

"I'm used to being blamed for everything. And there are enough things to blame me for, goodness knows! I'm not forgetting any of my mistakes."

"My critics say I should have picked out a less conspicuous livelihood. I belong to the stage. I earned my living on the stage and was happy there until that beast came into my life."

"I don't want my boy to be stunted or hampered in any way. I want him to have the best and healthiest bringing up. I think he has escaped his father's mental taint, for doctors tell me he is perfectly normal. He never gets in violent rages, as has been reported, and I hope to make a strong man of him. There won't be any namby-pamby in his training, and he will be taught to earn his own living."

"It is for him I am working and for him I am fighting. I am appealing to other mothers, and other working women, to forget my past and to give me a fair chance and a helping hand for the future."

UNDERWOOD
BEATS HOBSON

State Gives Black Eye To Merimac Hero in Prohibition Fight.

MAJORITY MAY BE 30,000

Senator Bankhead's Son Nominated For Congress In Hobson's District.

Birmingham, April 7.—Congressman Richmond Pearson Hobson yesterday conceded the nomination of Oscar W. Underwood for the Alabama long term in the United States Senate, and left for Washington to resume duties in Congress. Before leaving he said that he would give every effort for joint resolution in Congress looking to nation-wide prohibition. He said he would not admit defeat here Monday by a big majority, and that the fight in Alabama had just begun. He intimated he would be in the next senatorial race against Senator Bankhead.

UNDERWOOD'S STATEMENT.

Just before his departure Mr. Underwood gave out the following statement:

"I am more than pleased with the result of Monday's election. It looks like a 30,000 majority. My friends and the Democrats of Alabama deserve all the credit. I take none of the credit to myself. I do, however, feel that the result justifies my contention that a man's duty is to stay on the job and attend to business."

Senator Bankhead's son appears to be nominated to succeed Hobson in the 6th Congressional District.

State returns showed an extremely close race between Ray Rushton of Montgomery and Frank S. White of Birmingham for the short term nomination to the United States Senate, which will expire March 3, 1915.

The contest for Governor is also very close, latest figures showing Comer, Kolb and Henderson closely bunched with Gov. Comer ahead.

FOX BROS.
INCORPORATE

Will Do Business In Hopkinsville With Capital Stock of \$35,000.

Articles of incorporation of the Fox Bros. Co. have been filed with the County Clerk. Frank G. Fox, Joseph J. Fox and Michael E. Fox, all of Chicago, are the incorporators and the capital stock is \$35,000. The principal office and place of business is Hopkinsville. The purposes of the corporation are general merchandising, manufacturing, and dealing in poultry and dairy products.

Wedding Announcement.

Mrs. Frank Minor Quarles invites you to be present at the marriage of her daughter, Katharine Rabold to

Mr. Kenneth Odin Cayce, on Tuesday afternoon, the twenty-first of April, One thousand nine hundred and fourteen, at four o'clock, At Home. Hopkinsville, Kentucky.

Prof. Rubins Leaves.

Prof. R. R. Rubins, who has for a number of years been Superintendent of the Madisonville Graded Schools, has tendered to the trustees of the school, his resignation, the same to take effect at the close of the present term. He will go to Bristol, Tenn.

RESOLUTIONS
ADOPTED

By Board of Education at Session Held Last Monday.

PERTAINING TO HIGH SCHOOLS

Regulations Governing The Admission to City High Schools.

At their meeting Monday the County Board of Education adopted a very important resolution which plainly states under what conditions high school privileges shall be extended to the county pupils.

So long as the present contract with the Hopkinsville High School continues, which will be until 1917, all county pupils are entitled to free tuition there. But in many instances high school advantages are desired in the country schools and to settle these the Board of Education has adopted the following resolutions:

"Whereas the County Board of Education seeing the need of High School training in the county and desiring to give same as far as lies in their means to all pupils duly qualified to enter high school, hereby adopts the following rules and regulations for establishment and maintenance of high schools in the county.

"RESOLVED—

"1. That as long as the present contract with City School Board lasts (expires 1917) all pupils having passed an examination before the county examiners are entitled to free tuition in the Hopkinsville High School.

"2. Wherever there is a High School regularly established in a graded school district, having less than twelve pupils from outside of the district, the Board agrees to pay Forty Dollars (\$40.00) per annum for all pupils duly qualified who should attend the school.

"3. Whenever any subdistrict school will through their trustees guarantee a bona fide enrollment of at least twelve pupils for each month of the school year, the Board will pay the sum of Sixty Dollars (\$60.00) per month for a High School teacher, the same to be selected by and under the control of the County Board of Education.

"4. That inasmuch as the High Schools in graded school districts are in a sense private and not open to the public outside of their respective districts, whenever they can secure a bona fide enrollment of twelve or more pupils from without the district, the same not to be enrolled in a High School elsewhere in the county, the Board shall furnish a High School teacher at Sixty Dollars (\$60) per month, and all duly qualified pupils desiring to enter said school, shall be admitted without charge to them or the County Board of Education.

"5. All former resolutions for the establishment and maintaining of High Schools in the county that are not incorporated in these articles, are hereby rescinded and these articles, when adopted, shall be the official manner of maintaining and establishing High Schools in Christian county.

Stanley at Benton.

Benton, Ky., April 6.—Over six hundred democrats heard Congressman A. O. Stanley speak at the court house this afternoon in the interest of his race for the democratic nomination for United States Senator. The court room was too small to accommodate the large crowd and hundreds were turned away.

Mr. Stanley delivered one of his characteristic speeches, and he was applauded many times. Marshall county will give him an overwhelming majority.